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Applicant : Werner TESCHNER et al.  
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**ELECTION**

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2007, please receive into the record of the above application the applicant's election of species.

The applicant elects Species 1 consisting of Figure 3a for examination at this time.

Applicant believes that claims 17-22, and 30-36 are readable on that species.

An action on the merits of the claims is courteously solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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